



CALTRANS COMMUTER ALERT

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

LANE CLOSURE ON WESTBOUND STATE ROUTE 178 SCHEDULED FOR THIS WEEK

The Department of Transportation (Caltrans) announces scheduled closure of the #1 (left lane) of westbound State Route 178, at various locations from Oswell Street to M Street, in the City of Bakersfield, Kern County. Closures will allow Maintenance crews to conduct repairs to the median guardrail within this section of State Route 178.

The following closure is scheduled to take place this week (weather permitting):

Westbound State Route 178, #1 (left lane) at various locations from Oswell Street to M Street, will be closed on Thursday, October 13 and Friday, October 14, 2011 between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. each day. State Route 178 will be reduced to two lanes in these areas, commuters may experience delays and should take an alternate route if possible.

Closures may continue for longer periods of time if necessary, due to delays caused by weather or uncontrollable events that may occur during maintenance. These scheduled closures will occur, weather permitting.

Caltrans Maintenance workers remind you to drive with extra care and allow additional travel time while travelling in maintenance areas. Please be alert for Road Maintenance Personnel and equipment and please
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